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FOR EUR/CE SUSAN KLINGAMAN

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SUBJ: FOREIGN MILITARY SALES: DRAGON MISSILE PURCHASE

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1. CHARLES GROSSENBACHER, CHIEF OF ARMAMENTS PROCUREMENT,
FEDERAL MILITARY DEPT, CALLED ME TODAY TO RAISE THE
SAME QUESTION COVERED IN REFTEL. HE SAID HE WAS AWARE
THAT WE WERE TRYING TO GET A READING ON THE EXTENT OF
THE PROBLEM AND WONDERED WHETHER IT WOULD BE HLEPFUL
IF AMB PROBST CALLED ON THE APPROPRIATE STATE
DEPT OFFICIAL TO "REINFORCE OUR EFFORT".
I TOLD GROSSENBACHER THAT I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE BEST
IF WE WERE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO STAFF THE QUESTION
SO THAT WO COULD BE BETTER PREPARED TO RESPOND TO
AMB PROBST. I RPOMISED TO CALL GROSSENBACHER
EARLY NEXT WEEK TO TELL HIM WHAT WE HAD LEARNED.
GROSSENBACHER SAID HE WOULD ADVISE
AMB PROBST ACCORDINGLY AND WOULD AWAIT MY CALL.

2. ACION REQUESTED: PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH THE
BASIS FOR A RESPONSE BY EARLY NEXT WEEK.DAVIS
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